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11. On December 7 Polchief and Poloff delivered ref. A points on Human Cloning to the MFA Director of the European, American and Oceanic Affairs Department, Ambassador Ahmed Al-Muqarrab. Al-Muqarrab agreed to pass the information to the International Organizations Department Director, who would review the UAE position and make a recommendation to the UAE PermRep in New York.

12. The MFA America's Desk confirmed the UAE's support for the USG position on banning all forms of human cloning, as well as its support for the Costa Rican resolution. However, the UAEG voted in favor of the Iranian delegation's deferral motion last month, along with the rest of the OIC. Unless there is a break in the OIC

consensus on the deferral, it is unlikely that the UAE will change its position. The UAEG stated before the November vote that, if there was division within the OIC, it would consider abstaining, in coordination with the GCC (ref. E).

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